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Dear Sir/Madam,

This is to deny your refund request in the amount of \$820.00, for patent/serial number 09685061.

This money was needed and the letter asking for these charges is enclosed.

Sincerely,

ELEANOR KURTZ
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